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Sir:

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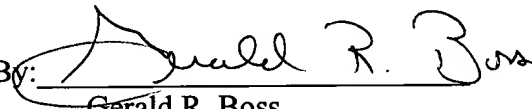
1. U.S. Patent No. 5,830,083 to Kosmatka;
2. U.S. Patent No. 5,971,868 to Kosmatka; and
3. U.S. Patent No. 6,007,432 to Kosmatka.

These references are cited only as constituting the closest art of which applicant is aware.

It is respectfully submitted that the claims patentably define over all of the above references.

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